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WHOLE NUMBER 1514

Personal

Mrs. Bill Burton is seriously ill with cancer.

Patton Borders of Salsersville was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ann Motley spent the week end in Mt. Sterling.

D. M. Rowland of Dingus was in town on business yesterday.

Aunt Lizzie Ferguson of Long Branch is very sick with flu.

Hoone Wells and Buford Wells were in Salsersville all day Monday.

Representative J. C. Nickell went to Frankfort for the inauguration.

Santa Claus letters sent to the Courier will be printed next week.

Mrs. Walter Cox was in town Friday having some dental work done.

Misses Helen Stacy and Vivian Howles were in Paintsville on Saturday.

Virginia Biele Cox has been absent from school this week on account of illness.

Mrs. Hugh Mack attended the funeral of Kelse Nickell at Florence on Thursday.

Wendell Nickell and Arnold McKenzie were in Paintsville on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis are the proud parents of a fine boy born on Monday, Dec. 9.

Mrs. C. K. Stacy and son Joe and daughter Frances Ann made a motor trip to Louisville on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewis of Jamestown, Ohio, spent Monday night here with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Blair.

Bascom Elam of Liberty Road was in town Wednesday and was a pleasant visitor at the Courier office.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Walters and children and Andy Walters, of Paintsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ann Motley on Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Boggs, Erma Meadows, and Mrs. Winfred Carpenter and son Kenneth Coleman were shopping in Lexington on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cox entertained for dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Clifford and Vick Ahls, of Hazard, and Mr. Shoemaker and Dr. Briggs of Irvine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Josh Walsh, of Jamestown, Ohio, came in Saturday and spent the week end here with relatives, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eva Hatfield attended the teachers' reception at the auditorium Saturday night and spent Sunday with Mrs. Hatfield's sister, Mrs. Winfred Carpenter.

Mrs. J. Hresel Moore and little son Jimmy, of Paintsville, spent a few days the first of the week with Mr. Moore here. They hope to soon get a house here and move.

When you realize that you could start at the mouth of the Amazon river and travel up stream for several days without getting in sight of either shore, you get some idea of the size of this South American river.

MEN WANTED for Hawleigh Homes of 800 families in Jackson. Reliable hustler should start earning \$25 weekly and increase rapidly. Write today. Hawleigh, Dept. KYL-260-S, Report, Ill. (Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Arnett, Mrs. Hesslene Allen, Mrs. Crystal Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tredway, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arnett, and Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Murray, all of West Liberty, were among those who attended the governor's inauguration at Frankfort.

Mr. W. J. Oakley and family, of Hardtown, visited Mrs. Oakley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Walsh, at Malone, Monday, and Mr. Oakley enjoyed the day hunting. They returned Tuesday, taking his father, R. M. Oakley, along for the inauguration at Frankfort. Mr. Oakley will remain with his son over Christmas.

A ROOSEVELT TERRAPIN

Goebel Hamilton, a staunch Democrat of the Silverhill neighborhood, found a dry land turtle near the Morgan and Magoffin county line which he prizes very highly. The turtle has one of the Roosevelt favorite inflated emblems, "CCC", marked on the middle of its back as plainly and evenly as it could be painted or printed.

The turtle is somewhat more than one half natural size and began life probably about the time or a little before Roosevelt received the "CCC" idea.

Besides the "CCC" letters across the back the turtle has the letters "CCC" on each side reading from front to rear. All letters are in pale yellow.

Mr. Hamilton had the turtle along to town and was exhibiting it here Saturday. He feeds and takes care of it like a pet and it seems to be perfectly satisfied in its surroundings.

Wrigley Singers

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blair and little daughter Letha Nell, Mrs. Wayne Lewis, and the two little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lewis, Robert and Ernestine, all of Wrigley, and W. D. Blair and Johnnie McKenzie, of West Liberty, were all in Ashland on Saturday. While there they took little Roderia and Ernestine Lewis to the broadcasting station. They are only nine and ten years old, but one plays the guitar while both sing. Then little Letha Nell, only eight years old, sang. The managers were much pleased, and gave the little girls a date for Saturday of this week, when they will be on the air at 1:30 p.m., central time.

McKENZIE - WATSON

Miss Dorothy McKenzie was married on Thanksgiving day to Arthur Watson, and the happy couple have just returned from their honeymoon.

The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burns McKenzie. She is a graduate of the Morgan county high school and is popular in her wide circle of friends.

The groom is a Morgan county teacher and a young man of good character.

We wish the young couple much joy and success along life's pathway.

SHOWER PARTY

A shower was given to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Oldfield at Muskirk on Saturday night, Dec. 7.

Present were Misses Edna Gray Wilson, Irene Goss, Lucile Wells, Pauline Rose, Bertell Nickell, Young Wells, Dora B. Nickell, Wilma Harper, Mahel Oldfield, Laura Trumble, Alice Chaney, Susie Goodpastor, Jeanette and Minnie Chaney; Messrs. Ray Peyton Randolph Wells, Ernie Wilson, Thelma Nickell, Edward Govedon, Olan Chaney, Oral Brown, Elwood Chaney, John Phelps, Sam Byrd, Oliver Carter, Virgil Graham, Junior Oldfield, Ivan Chaney, Lester Phelps, Maurice Chaney, Hubert Smith, Cyril Chaney; Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. Hester Barker and children Bronfield and Rondell, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Chaney, Mrs. J. H. Phelps, Charlie Goss, Mrs. Florence Wilson, Mrs. Rachel Hatfield, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson, and Mrs. Harlan Oldfield.

Many nice gifts, consisting of cook ing utensils, dishes, linens, silverware, and many other things that go along in the line of housekeeping, were received.

Gifts were received also from the following persons for whom the rain got too hard and the mud too deep for them to be out: Nelson P. Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. John Oldfield, Mrs. Barker Govedon, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nickell, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Baskirk and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Trumble.

Different kinds of homemade candy were served. All departed at a late hour leaving the young couple quite delighted and thankful for the lovely table and the kindness shown them by their many friends and neighbors.

EASTERN STAR MEETS

Paulina chapter no. 360, O.E.S., held its regular meeting Friday night, Dec. 6.

I am glad to report that we are enjoying a splendid year under the leadership of Sister Louie Belle Egan, worthy matron, and Bro. Earl Tredway, worthy patron.

The degree was conferred upon Dr. S. D. Gullett, Gladys Gullett, Myrtle Gullett, W. O. Pelfrey, and O. H. Coffee.

Each officer gave her work in a very impressive manner. After interesting remarks by those present, chapter was closed and refreshments served.

MAUD PEPPIY, Secretary.

Governor's Inaugural Address

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 10.—Pledging the benefit of the aged people of this state, who are no longer able to work to which he committed himself in his campaign, A. B. Chandler was inducted into the office of governor of Kentucky in accordance with an expressed mandate at high noon today. Keen Johnson stood beside the governor and took the oath as lieutenant governor.

The text of Governor Chandler's speech, one of the briefest inaugural addresses in many years, is as follows: My fellow citizens:

In assuming the duties of the office of governor upon this occasion I think it entirely fitting that I should express to all of the people of Kentucky my very deep appreciation for the great honor which they have given to me.

In addition, I desire to renew with them my pledges of allegiance and fidelity, which were made in good faith during the campaign just closed.

Having received a majority of the votes cast by the people of our state in the election for the office of governor, I am here to take the oath of office and to pledge to all the people of Kentucky that I shall devote my time, my heart, and my energies to conduct the high office of governor in such a manner as will merit for me the continued respect of the people of the state.

I realize full well that I was elected as the representative of the dominant political party in the United States, a party that has always represented principles which are calculated in my judgment to best govern the people of our state and nation. At the same time I realize that it is my duty, as the governor of the state, to place the welfare of my fellow citizens above the welfare of any factions of our people, and to give each of my fellow citizens honest and faithful service, and to guarantee to each of them the right to have protection of the law and the right to have life, liberty, and happiness in greater abundance.

The people of the nation, when in great distress, turned to the Democratic party for leadership, and in our great president of the United States, Franklin D. Roosevelt, the people of Kentucky and the nation have the fullest measure of confidence, because of the great work he has done and I doing, to restore economic order and confidence in government.

It is my earnest desire to render to my party and to the people of my state the greatest measure of public service. It is my belief that this can best be done by giving to the people a clean, sane, and honest administration of its executive affairs.

I call upon our people to banish from their hearts, as I shall do, all feeling of partisanship, hatred, and malice, and to strive to remove as far as is humanly possible any spirit of bitterness which may have been torn recently engendered because of our recent political strife.

I call upon them to forget their mistakes of the past and to clasp hands as true and loyal Kentuckians, sincerely interested in the welfare of the state, and to march in solid phalanx toward the greater achievements of the future. I think it entirely proper that upon this customary and solemn occasion I briefly state to the people some of the policies by which I hope to be guided in the administration of the high office of governor.

We should banish selfishness and special privilege and all work together to give just and adequate protection to all people by the passage of wise and conservative legislation.

Our state is rich in natural resources, and in material wealth we are exceedingly blessed.

During the incoming administration it shall be my purpose to see that the respective rights of capital and labor are adequately protected, that our people are carefully employed, and that fair compensation is awarded to the men and women who work for a living wage.

For many years the people of the state have earnestly looked forward to the time when they could have in Kentucky a reorganized government, one that would live within its income, without increasing the burden of taxation upon the people.

Today I renew my pledge to the people of our state to reorganize the government from top to bottom along sane and sensible business lines, to make adequate appropriations to public schools, public charities, and public health, and to cooperate with the great program of the president of the United States, to establish and maintain old age pensions and social security for

office of governor I shall be available to every citizen of Kentucky, anxious, ready, and willing to assist them upon any and all occasions to obtain the benefits of the government whenever they are entitled to its benefits and its protection.

For the second time in the history of our state the people have given to a young man of our state a vote of confidence. Thirty-five years ago today, approximately, Governor J. P. W. Beckham took the oath of office as governor of our state, then a young man thirty years of age. His time record is to this hour approved by all right thinking people of our state. Today I stand by the side of my good friend, the Hon. Keen Johnson, who will take with me and at the same time the oath of office as lieutenant governor of our state. Governor Johnson is a young man of high purpose and character and will devote himself, congenitally to the service of our people. Neither of us feel in this hour when we are about to receive this great honor at the hands of the people, any spirit of egotism or vainglorious pride, but each of us offers in a spirit of humility to undertake earnestly to solve correctly the problems of a great people. We may make mistakes, but we pledge you today that the mistakes will not be mistakes of the heart. The people of Kentucky have been good to me and have honored me beyond our due, and together we pledge entire devotion to the welfare of the state's people. I pledge that I shall not knowingly or willingly do or perform a single act that will place a blot upon the shield of our state, or in any way retard the progress, prosperity, and happiness of our people.

I am grateful to you, my fellow citizens, my joy at the opportunity to serve you is unbounded. I commenced the campaign in Kentucky this year with high hopes, with a smile upon my face and a song in my heart. I heard no ill will or malice toward any man or woman in Kentucky who for reasons best known to themselves supported the candidate of their choice in the elections this year. I owe the success of my campaign to the people of Kentucky. I owe my allegiance to the people of our state. I shall not permit ambition, or the hope of future preferment or advancement, or the ambition of my friends, to divert me from the firm resolution that I have made in my heart to restore the government of my state to the hands of its people.

In deep humility and with a profound sense of my great obligation to the people, I call upon Almighty God to give me strength to perform the arduous duties which lie ahead. With Him we are apt to be overcome with the frailties of human nature, and I ask my fellow citizens to pray as I shall pray, that He shall give me daily strength to meet the problems which are ahead.

I entertain the cherished hope that when I shall have finished the course you may be able to say that I have with entire devotion kept faith with my fellow Kentuckians and that the state shall not have suffered because of the confidence that our people have reposed in me.

At all hazards, however, I pledge to the people of Kentucky that before any new taxes that may become necessary are imposed, consideration of ability to pay will be carefully given, and that taxes will be levied at such a time and in such a manner as will cause the least inconvenience to our people, and that the people will be called upon to pay only so much money in taxes as will be necessary to operate the necessary and essential functions of our state government.

I shall avoid wherever possible the imposition of our tax burdens, and I shall request that the legislature give its most careful attention to a proper selection of tax subjects so that taxes may be imposed where necessary in a spirit of equity, caution, and economy.

For many years the people of our state have been earnestly solicited in regard to the management of the charitable, penal, and eleemosynary institutions of our state. I shall endeavor to appoint men and women to manage these institutions with a special regard to their character and fitness and with the realization that our public institutions are in a deplorable condition.

I call upon the people of Kentucky to assist us in a program to rehabilitate these institutions to the end that the unfortunate wards of the commonwealth may have a fuller measure of protection and care.

There are so many pressing and important problems which are immediately ahead and which will press me for settlement that I shall not have time upon this occasion to discuss them with you at greater length, but I shall adhere to my pledge to you, I shall ask the legislature to authorize the highway commission to take over for maintenance all the public roads of our state, and I shall strive to have enacted into law such measures as will guarantee to every county of our state a fair and equitable allotment of the road funds that are available for the construction and maintenance of the public roads of Kentucky during my administration of the affairs of the commonwealth.

In the discharge of the duties of the

NEW POSTMASTER

Lynn B. Wells, appointed postmaster for West Liberty by the postmaster general on Friday of last week, took possession of the office yesterday.

The postal business here is continually becoming more important. The postal affairs of the whole county are quite intimately connected with the West Liberty office, and no one knows the county and its affairs better than Mr. Wells.

The mail facilities for West Liberty have improved very greatly during the last ten years, and this are destined for still greater improvement.

Attend Meeting at Paintsville

Miss Margaret M. Brong planned a trip for members of the Girls' Auxiliary of the Missionary society of the Baptist church to attend a young people's and leaders' meeting at Paintsville on Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Virginia Brong drove the car and took the following girls on Saturday morning: Miss Mae Adams, Lorene Wells, Virginia Nickell, Lucile Nickell, Helen Jean Cox, and Martha Fannin. Mrs. C. S. Wells also went with them.

Miss Margaret Brong, Mrs. Ansel Fannin, and Lovell Brong attended the afternoon session. All enjoyed the good program as well as the trip. They had basket lunch at the noon hour.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity to express our appreciation and gratitude to friends and relatives who rendered their services and sympathies to us at the death of our beloved husband and father, Ollie Canfield, our loss is indeed great. These acts of love and kindness will be always remembered by us. We also wish to thank those who contributed the many beautiful floral tributes. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. E. S. Lusk, of Lookout and Thomas D. Walters of the Central Methodist church for their consoling services. Also J. W. Hall, undertaker of Pikeville, for his efficient services rendered—Mrs. Ollie Canfield and Joe, Herbert, and Hendricks, his sons.

WED IN OHIO

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Allen have just informed us of the wedding in Middletown, Ohio, of their nephew, Harold Pratt, to Miss Louise Wilson.

They were married at the United Brethren parsonage in Richmond, Ind., Nov. 25, in the presence of their close friends. Miss Ruth Ober and Sol Back.

The happy couple moved from the southern states, returning to the home of their parents, where a wonderful reception and six o'clock Thanksgiving dinner was awaiting them. The dining room was decorated in white and gold. In the center of the festive board was a three tier wedding cake topped with a nuptial bride and groom. Persons witnessing the happy occasion were the above named friends and the parents of both bride and groom.

The newly wedded couple are located in the Pratt home.

Mr. Pratt is the grandson of D. B. Allen of this place.

LICKING RIVER

Dec. 10.—Mrs. J. E. Hays departed this life Dec. 3, aged 74 years, 2 months, and 3 days. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Fairchild and was married to Edward Hays about 53 years ago. To this union were born four children, Candace Hays and Mrs. Myrtle Day, deceased, Mrs. Ada McKenzie of West Liberty, and Ernest Hays of Koren. She was converted in early life and lived a good life, was a kind, loving wife, mother, and neighbor, and will be greatly missed in this community. She also leaves five grandchildren, Berlin, Byford, and Tois Day and Misses Dixie and Jewel McKenzie of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Leach of Liberty Road spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lewis.

Frankie Lewis, who had been in Ohio the past month, returned home Monday.

Curtis and Anna Henry spent the week end with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor McKenzie and children Althea and Otis visited Mr. and Mrs. Clay McKenzie of West Liberty from Saturday to Monday.

Mrs. John Henry and children, of Malone, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Day, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Davis and children, of Cracker, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Miller.

Joe Tom Pettit of Penn attended prayer meeting here Sunday night.

SOCIAL PARTY

Paulina chapter no. 360, O.E.S., is giving a rock and bridge party in Masonic hall Tuesday evening, Dec. 17 at 7 o'clock. Everybody invited. Admission, adults, 25c; children under 12 years, 15c.

Program and refreshments. (Adv.) MAUD PEPPIY, Sec.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Prayer meeting and song service at 7 o'clock every Thursday night. Sunday school at 10 o'clock a.m. Church services immediately after Sunday school and also at 7 p.m. every Sunday.

Lord's Supper the first Sunday night in each month. Everybody is invited to attend these services. "Not forsaking the assembling of yourselves together."

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH
First Sunday: West Liberty 11 a.m. Canal City 8 p.m.
Second Sunday: Goodwin Chapel 11 a.m. Canal City 2:30 p.m. West Liberty 7 p.m.

Third Sunday: West Liberty 11 a.m. Canal City 8 p.m.
Fourth Sunday: Canal City 11 a.m. Goodwin Chapel 2:30 p.m. West Liberty 7 p.m.

Young people's division, West Liberty, every Sunday at 6:15 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to you to attend these services.

HEV. CLYDE BOGGS

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FARMERS' COLUMN

THE FARM AND HOME

Set a few fruit trees each year, in order to have a constant supply of fruit as the years come and go. It takes seven to ten years to grow an apple tree to bearing age, and two to five years for peaches and cherries.

There always is an element of danger about a hog. Feed them only when necessary, and then use a staff or two ropes. Two ropes and two men can usually handle any hog, one leading from one side and the other from the other side.

The amount of grain to feed a cow depends on the quantity and quality of hay and other roughage at hand, the condition of the cow, and the amount of milk she is producing. If hay and grass are abundant, the grain needs are materially reduced.

A good poultry fattening ration is made up of three parts of corn meal, one part of ground oats, and one part of middlings, mixed with milk. Feed two or three times daily. One feeding a day of corn also is sometimes given.

Gravel makes a satisfactory and economical walk, when properly constructed. The maximum size of the stones should not be more than three-fourths of an inch in diameter. Laid between planks and well tamped, such a walk will last years.

Many farmers take their annual inventory January 1. Corn-hog adjustment contract signers, however, are required to make an inventory on December 1. Poultry farmers usually make it at the beginning of the laying year.

Tobacco Payments

Adjustment payments under the new tobacco contracts will depend on prices, with the exception of next year, when minimum payments are guaranteed. It is announced by the AAA that the college of agriculture, university of Kentucky.

If tobacco prices are low, adjustment payments will be correspondingly higher, and if prices are high the payments will drop accordingly.

For 1936, however, there will be a minimum payment of \$2.25 per 100 pounds of base production of burley tobacco and \$1.50 per 100 pounds for dark air cured tobacco. No minimum payment is specified in the fire cured contract. Payments may be greater than \$2.25 and \$1.50, depending on the price.

Except for the minimum rates for 1936, the payments will be an amount which when added to the farm price will tend to bring growers' returns to not less than parity on the quantity of each type used for domestic consumption.

Under the new contract only one adjustment payment will be made each year. Payments will be made directly to the operator and each tenant or share cropper in the same proportion as their interest in the crop.

Corn-Hog Contract

Under provisions of the new two year corn-hog adjustment contract which became effective December 1, signers will agree to produce for sale next year at least 50 per cent of their market hog bases, but not more than 100 percent if they are to receive maximum hog adjustment payments, says a statement from the Kentucky college of agriculture at Lexington.

Signers must plan to corn at least 25 percent of their bases next year, but not more than a percentage which is within the permitted optional range of 70 to 100 percent of their corn bases.

The adjustment payment will be

Snapshots of KENTUCKY GEOLOGY

by Dr. A. C. McFarlan
UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

Chapter XXXIII

The greatest development of commercial mineral veins is in Caldwell and Crittenden counties of the western Pennyroyal, a badly faulted region and one of the two areas where igneous rocks (formerly molten lava) outcrop in Kentucky. This along with adjoining parts of Illinois comprises the greatest fluor spar region of the world. This mineral, used mainly as a flux in the smelting of steel, occurs in veins cutting across the limestone. In origin it seems to be intimately tied up with the occurrence of the igneous rocks mentioned and was one of several minerals brought up by rising hot waters coming from the molten lava below. It can be readily seen that the prosperity of this mining industry is largely dependent on that of the steel industry.

Associated with the fluor spar are found the lead and zinc ore minerals, galena, and sphalerite. It is interesting to note that the discovery of these veins and others in central Kentucky came during the last century as a result of the search for lead and silver. Lead and zinc while not present in large enough quantities to be mined for themselves, make very worth while by products of these operations.

The central Kentucky mineral veins have some interest, and have been worked for fluor spar, barite (heavy spar), calcite, galena (lead ore) and sphalerite (zinc ore). The lead and zinc ores again seem to be present in rather limited quantities. Only a couple of fluor spar veins have been worked and its possibilities are limited. Barite is the most abundant of the

vein minerals. Known as heavy spar because of its weight, it finds its chief use as a white pigment in the manufacture of paint. The industry flourished for some time during the period of higher prices but at present there are no mines operating.

Calcite has been worked in only one mine, the China mine at Mandy's Landing in northern Mercer county. Again low prices have halted operations. It finds its chief use in the chemical industries but has pure limestone and chalk as strong competitors.

The central Kentucky veins offer a rather intriguing problem of origin. They are veins of mineral matter deposited in rock fissures by underground waters. But the nature of these underground waters is uncertain. One type of ground water is derived from rainfall, and slowly seeps downward through rock crevices. There are also heated waters rising along cracks from molten lava below in regions where such exists. Both kinds have been considered likely by different workers. No igneous rocks are known to occur in Blue Grass region and there is little to suggest that they may exist below the surface. In the other hand, fluor spar deposits apparently are characteristically formed by hot solutions only, suggesting that all the veins may have had such an origin and that molten lava (new solid) may have once existed beneath the surface. Further supporting evidence of such former molten rock deep below the surface has more recently been found, giving strength to the belief that this is the source of these materials.

Asbestos Rivals Lamb's Wool

A freak mineral, asbestos rivals lamb's wool in appearance after it has been refined and separated from the ore in which it is found and to which it gives a bewhiskered look.

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Master Commissioner's Sale

MORGAN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.

Nettie Haney, etc., Plaintiff
Vs.
Boy Carl Haney, Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Morgan circuit court, rendered at the March term, 1931, in the above styled cause, I will offer for sale at the front door of the courthouse in West Liberty, Kentucky, on Monday, the 23rd day of December, 1935, at 1 o'clock p.m., or thereabouts, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to wit: The land hercin ordered to be sold is described as follows:

Beginning at a stone and sourwood marked, at H. C. Combs corner; thence a northwest course down the hill with H. C. Combs line to the branch to a set stone no. 2; thence a west course up the branch to a set stone no. 3, on the west side of the branch to J. W. Quicksall's line; thence a northeast course angling up the hill with M. C. Nickell's line to a set stone no. 4, on top of the point; thence a north course around the hill with M. C. Nickell's line to a hickory; thence an east course down the hill with said Nickell's line to a set stone no. 5, at the foot of the hill; thence a northwest course with said Nickell's line, crossing the branch to black oak on the bank of the branch; thence a west course with Nickell's line to a set stone no. 6, at J. R. Gevedon's line; thence a south course with J. R. Gevedon's line to a fence to a set stone no. 7, low gap at Will Haney's corner; thence a south course down the hill crossing branch and up the hill with Will Haney's line to a set stone no. 8, on top of hill at Simon Stacey's corner; thence an east course on top of ridge and Stacey's line to a set stone no. 9; thence with top of ridge and Stacey's line to a set stone no. 10; thence with top of ridge and Stacey's line to a white oak stump and sourwood tree at John T. Gullett's corner; thence with top of ridge and Gullett's line to a set stone no. 11; thence with top of ridge and Gullett's line to a chestnut oak; thence on with said line to a set stone no. 12; thence on with said line to a set stone no. 13, at A. W. Haney's corner; thence a north course down the hill with said Haney's line to a set stone no. 14, at the Combs line; thence a west course with said Combs line to a hickory and hickory; thence same course with Combs line to the beginning, containing about 150 acres more or less.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond, bearing 6 percent interest from date, with approved security, for the purchase money.

This 3rd day of December, 1935.
HAILEN MURPHY, M.C.C.C.
L. B. Wells, Attorney.

Master Commissioner's Sale

MORGAN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.

Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, Plaintiff
Vs.
Gaston Howard and wife Mattie Howard, nonresidents, Defendants

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Morgan circuit court, rendered at the November term, 1935, in the above styled cause, I will offer for sale at the front door of the courthouse in West Liberty, Kentucky, on Monday, the 23rd day of December, 1935, at 1 o'clock p.m., or thereabouts, upon a credit of one third six months, one third 12 months, one third 18 months, the following described property, to wit: The following described real estate with rents, issues, and profits, situated in Morgan county and state of Kentucky, to wit:

Containing 100.00 acres more or less, located about 9 miles from West Liberty, on Northfork road, and which is correctly bounded and described as follows:

Bounded on the west by the lands of Charrier Coal company, and Jim Whit, heirs;

On the north by the lands of A. D. Watson and Lon Etna Cushty;

On the east by the lands of Lula Gibson;

On the south by the lands of Charrier Coal company;

Being the same land conveyed to Gaston Howard, by Luther Adkins and wife, by deed dated March 1st, 1927, and recorded in deed book 58, page 537, Morgan county clerk's office.

For a more full and complete description see mortgage from Gaston Howard and wife to Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, recorded in mortgage book 14 and page 161 to 163 Morgan county clerk's office.

Judgment was rendered by the Morgan circuit court, in favor of Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, at its November term, 1935, for \$2480.00 with interest at the rate of 6 percent from February 28, 1934, until paid, and its cost hercin expended.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond, bearing 6 percent interest from date, with approved security, for the purchase money.

This 3rd day of December, 1935.
HAILEN MURPHY, M.C.C.C.
W. M. Gardner, Attorney.

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AUTY McCLAIN
WEST LIBERTY KENTUCKY

MORGAN COUNTY SCHOOL PAGE

(Under Auspices of Ova O. Haney, County Supt.)

SCHOOL BUILDING PROGRAM

The school building at West Liberty is progressing nicely. It is operating under the WPA. Many inquiries have come to this office as to when the other buildings that have been physically approved to Washington will start. To this question I can give no definite answer. I can assure you that I have done everything that I possibly can to get them financially approved. WPA officials have intimated they would like to be ready to start at any time. However, these are conditional terms over which I have no control. But I am hopeful that the WPA will see that the money expended in Morgan county is directed into constructive projects, something that will be of a permanent and enduring nature to our social order. Projects of permanent and enduring nature should receive the highest degree of approval by the people of Morgan county.

Ninety percent of the employees on WPA projects must come from the relief rolls. The federal government, however, is employing all men on the job, but they will employ ten percent of the total number from the non-relief rolls if this ten percent are needed to further the progress of the project. Usually this ten percent is confined to skilled men. The Works Progress administration sets its qualifications and determines whether the project needs all this ten percent quota or less.

It appears that when projects are approved for the various sections of Morgan county the men will not have to walk or travel so far to their work. I feel that it is the duty of every wide-awake alert progressive citizen of Morgan county to cooperate to the fullest extent with local sponsors and WPA officials in seeing that the people of Morgan county get value received for every cent of federal government money expended in the building program. No man should be overworked but every man should earn his bread by the sweat of his brow, for this nation was founded and built on these principles.

TO UNEMPLOYED TEACHERS

We have received word from Washington of the final approval of our education project providing for nursery and adult education.

This program is being transferred from the relief to the W.P.A. Money for the salaries of the teachers and supplies to be used in the emergency educational program will be available soon. Teachers and other workers will be paid according to the security wage in force in each county. All unemployed teachers holding certificates should register with the national re-employment service at once. Do NOT DELAY. You may consult the county relief director, Mr. Wardell T. Walters, for information concerning the time at which you can be registered.

The outlook for the emergency education program is very bright and encouraging. All teachers in this field will receive further information as the details are developed.

Below is a group of unemployed teachers of Morgan county: Merida Holbrook, Clara Carter, Grace Woods, Harold Rose, Schum Allen, Thelma Benton, Buford Howard, Mildred Whit, Leta Ray Haney, Alida Perry, Myrtle Fannin, Oliver Emery, Eva Chick, Maxine Lacy, Gorman Frisby, Edward Keeton, Clifford Hovius, Henry Stacy, Mary McCarty, Lucile Coler, Mildred Stacy, Catherine Fannin, Elizabeth Williams, Betty Carter, Floyd Gabbard, Anna Nickell, Lester Reed, Opal Watson.

GREASY SCHOOL NEWS

The following pupils were on the honor roll for this month:

Primer: James Manning.

First grade: Wilma Henry, Wendell Cole.

Third grade: Della Watkins.

Fourth grade: Curtis Cole, Luther Taubee, Hazel Watkins, Junior Ross.

Fifth grade: Rollie Cole.

We are glad to have Lilla Noble back in school, and were sorry to hear of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Ann Atkins.

We are very proud of our Christmas decorations we have made and placed on our windows. We are planning a Christmas program to be given on Dec. 21, 1935, at 10 o'clock a.m. All the people of the community are invited to come. We hope our superintendent, Ova O. Haney, our attendance officer, W. O. Peffer, and our helping teacher, Miss Edith Ward, will be present for the program.

We thank Miss Edith Ward very kindly for the new books she brought to our first grade pupils. They have enjoyed reading in them. We hope she will visit us again.

INDEX SCHOOL NEWS

We, the pupils and teachers of Index school, are glad to have an opportunity to publish our school news in the paper. We are also proud of such teachers as we have, who will take so much interest as they do in fixing up our school building. We now have window shades, curtains, a pencil sharpener, reading material, wire over our windows, and several more conveniences which we did not have when our school began. Our school building looks much better on the inside.

We gave a play at our school Nov. 1 entitled "The Tomaway Dinner." We had songs, recitations, and music. Quite a large crowd attended and all seemed to enjoy themselves.

One of our teachers, Mrs. Elizabeth Elam, ate dinner recently with one of her pupils, Ste Henry.

Our teacher, Mr. Anderson Lacy, attended the teachers' conference at Ashland on Thursday and Friday, our school being dismissed Wednesday afternoon. Some of the students visited Liberty Road school in the afternoon. They were very much pleased to have our company.

We have divided our sixth grade arithmetic into A and B classes, and the ones in the B class are working harder and doing better so they may soon catch the A class.

Mrs. Elam has score cards for the grades and they all are working hard or in order to win. We also have a new product map, and all of our samples of 600 and Montblanc silver.

Geneva Meadows of this place visited relatives at Blaine for a few days. She was accompanied by her nephew, Fred Meadows.

Helen Elam, little daughter of Corbett Elam, had a very severe case of toothache last week.

Charles Little has been absent from school on account of work, but is now with us again.

As it has been very cold and rainy, all the children have colds. Mae Ferguson had a very severe attack of croup Sunday night, but is better now.

Well, as our school year is limited, we don't want to crowd someone else out of school news, we are going to quit by wishing our teachers, helping teachers, county superintendent, each and every one, a merry Christmas and a happy new year, and much success in all their undertakings.—Eight grade pupils, Zella Short and Naomi Meadows.

Pie Supper Finance

Amount of money made at Index pie supper Aug. 30, 1935, \$29.50.

This money was expended as follows:

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| 6 window shades | \$3.1 |
| 6 pair curtains | 2.7 |
| 6 sash rods | 3.6 |
| 1 pencil sharpener | 1.0 |
| Postage | .63 |
| Money order fee | .11 |
| Chad Wells, for music | 1.00 |
| Chester McGuire, auctioneer | .54 |
| Wire for windows | 6.18 |
| Material for 3 banners | .75 |
| 1 can paint | .15 |
| 1 box crayons | .10 |
| Transportation of school to fair | 1.54 |
| Staples | .10 |
| Crope paper | .20 |
| Total expenditures | \$18.44 |

I turned the balance, \$20.06, over to Mrs. Elizabeth Elam. She had to take out \$1.03 for her banner and crepe paper. This left \$19.03 of pie supper money and \$1.00 which our school won at the fair, leaving her in possession of \$20.03 to spend for books for the school.

ANDERSON LACY

CANNEL CITY P.T.A. MEETS

The December meeting of the Cannel City Parent-Teachers association was held at the Union church Monday, Dec. 2. Mrs. G. W. Leslie, president, called the meeting to order, and the devotion was given by Rev. Gathman. A short business meeting followed.

Mrs. M. R. Elam, chairman of the membership committee, reported fifty-five members. Plans were discussed for a play to be given in January. The awards for attendance this month went to Miss Leslie, home room teacher for the seventh and eighth grades, and Mr. Lacy, fourth grade teacher.

The meeting was turned over to the program committee and a beautiful Christmas program was presented. Fifteen members of the sophomore, junior, and senior classes made up the choir and many appropriate carols were rendered. The following grade and high school pupils took part:

Madonna: Mabel Adams.

Angels: Lena Ferguson, Hazel Dunn, Constance Elam.

Shepherds: Lillie Morris, Charles Sebastian, Doris Benton.

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Wise men: Ernest Sebastian, Ernest Ferguson, Courtney Dunagan.

Carol singers: Dolores Davidson, Hattie Mae Donovan, Betty Terrell, and Kathryn Nickell.

Mrs. Burton, Miss Leslie, and Miss McClure were in charge of the program.

Recommendations

To the members of the board of education and board members elect: I feel it my duty to recommend to the board of education certain fundamental factors for the ensuing year in our educational program that will affect the educational opportunities of the children served by the school program of this county.

I appreciate very much the cooperative spirit which the board members have manifested in all their meetings since I have been in office. They have shown to me in unconditional terms that they are willing and anxious to build a bigger and better school program for Morgan county. They have been brave and courageous in promoting progressive school policies. They have shouldered earnestly the responsibilities of their office and held sacred the cause of education. I feel it my duty to recommend to the board of education that our high school opportunities should be extended equally, if possible, to every boy and girl in Morgan county. I can't see any justice in a school program that will offer high school opportunities for a boy or girl in West Liberty, Cannel City, Crockett, or Wrigley, and does not offer same for the boy or girl in Oak Hill, Paragon, or Sand Lick of course it would be a financial impossibility to undertake to construct high school buildings all over the county.

I feel it my duty to recommend to the board of education that every boy and girl in the district served by such program, I insist that the teachers of Morgan county urge every seventh and eighth grade graduate to enter high school somewhere; and if it is not possible due to financial reasons, to communicate these reasons to the board of education and county superintendent and ask that something be done in their behalf. I will release to the Courier just a little later my contemplated school program for 1935-36. A broad school program is right and I do not hesitate to believe that the people of Morgan county will back any such school policy, or the official supporting it, overwhelmingly.

OVA O. HANEY

OAK HILL SCHOOL NEWS

Motto: "The elevator to success is broken—take the stairs."

The P.T.A. program is to be given Friday night, Dec. 20. Two plays will be given that evening, "The Eyes of Love" by the P.T.A., and "What's Mah Pains" by the Negro administration, to the eighth grade. Ten cents admission will be charged.

Students having perfect spelling charts for the fourth week of November were Ruth Collins and Clifford Roberts.

The soft ball team of our school recently met the Wrigley school in a soft ball game and defeated them 11 to 5. Many other students, both boys and girls, went along to cheer the team.

A welcome visitor in our school was Miss Anna Barndhoft, missionary, of Wyatt. She left material for students entering the Bible contest and told us a very delightful Bible story about Zacharias.

Honor students for the fourth month in the upper grades were as follows: Grade four: Ova Collins. Grade six: Mildred Easterling. Grade eight: Duward Carter.

Much interest is being shown by the students of the upper grades looking forward to the visit of the county agent this Friday. We have invited Mr. Weather to come to Oak Hill and organize 4-H clubs. Many of the students expect to join the club, and start projects of their own.

The United States history class has recently been studying about the causes and results of the Spanish American war. The question as to whether or not we should give up the Philippines proved very interesting. Some of the students taking one side and some the other. As a result of these discussions, the class voted to have a debate. "Resolved, that the Philippines be given their independence." On the affirmative side are Lizzie Blair, Duward Easterling, and Roderick Abrams, while on the negative side are Avery Collins, Kenneth Collins, and Duward Carter.

We are proud of the fact that some of the students of our school have perfect attendance records for a number of years. Lizzie Blair, eighth grade student, has not been absent from school for the past five years. Clifford Roberts, sixth grade, both Wilbourn Collins, sixth grade, both have perfect attendance for the last four years.

The helping teacher, Miss Floris Cox, visited our school Monday of this week and made a number of helpful suggestions.

The eighth grade is working on a new unit, the "thing line." It is represented by a long piece of cloth with colored bar thru the center, with dates in history, running from the discovery of America to the present time, recorded at various places along the line.

Wise men: Ernest Sebastian, Ernest Ferguson, Courtney Dunagan.

Carol singers: Dolores Davidson, Hattie Mae Donovan, Betty Terrell, and Kathryn Nickell.

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CROCKETT SCHOOL NEWS

Honor roll students, or those who made an average of B or better in high school the past six weeks, are: Charles Skaggs, A.A.B.B.; Robert Smith, A.B.B.B.; Edna Hutchinson, A.B.B.; Clarence Wright, A.A.B.B.; Ray Burchwell, A.B.B.B.; and Versie Smith, B.B.B.B.

Charles Skaggs, a thirteen year old sophomore, has the highest standing for the past six weeks. She says that she studies two and one-half hours every day and doesn't neglect her play and exercise.

It seems that Crockett's dream is coming true and that there will eventually be a new school building here. The new building will be made of stone, which is to be required at a quarry about one-half mile from the location. Arrangements are now being made for acquiring the property.

Our basketball team is greatly handicapped in means of transportation and by lack of indoor court. The team consists of Ray Hutchinson, left forward; Johnny Ferguson, right forward; Clarence Oliver, center; Stanley Ball, left guard; Kenneth Skaggs, right guard.

Mr. Benton has had to cancel some games on account of lack of transportation. But now Crockett is in high spirits and the fire of hope is blazing high, for she expects a game with Clifford high school here Friday, December 6. The team is planning a basketball tour on which the teams of West Liberty, Cannel City, Clifford and Laurel will be played.

The grade boys are in good hopes for the N.Y.A. boys are making them a basketball court. They are playing splendidly this season, having been defeated only once and gaining many victories.

Crockett has the best high school second team she has ever had. They have never been defeated. They are dauntless in spirit, and defy any second team in the county. The team consists of Ivan Ball, Glen Isot, Earl Fannin, Martin Atkins, and Ernest Hutchinson.

The high school and grades are combining their programs for Christmas this season. There will be a community Christmas tree and a program of about one and one-half hours. The time is on Friday, Dec. 20. The following program will be given: The Meaning of Christmas—Ivan Ball. Origin of Christmas Customs—Edna Hutchinson.

Song—Ray Hutchinson, Versie Smith, Eliza Hutchinson, Pauline Cox, Kenneth Skaggs, Stanley Ball, and Esther Conley.

Play, The Lost Reindeer.

Play, Santa Claus Jr., Christmas Acrobatic.

Poem, Six Little Dollies.

—All by third to fifth grades.

There will be some other numbers which are not yet definitely decided.

—Edited by English IV Class

PAINT VALLEY SCHOOL

Our motto is honesty, purity, and truth.

We are sincerely thankful for our new schoolhouse, seats, and books. This is a year of great success for us. We now have the most splendid opportunity of gaining an education. It is what we put into life that we take out. We are working and cooperating with our teachers to make a success. We have stumbling blocks but we are going on over them. You can tell whether or not we are interested if you will just drop in some time and see us work. And when school is dismissed for the day we gather our books and take them home to study our lessons for the next day. Our teachers and parents are willing to help us in our work. Our parents tell us that we must be terribly interested in school. We won't even stop to help them on the farm.

We are now gathering material for our physics library and also for the health and science class. We are very proud of our helping teachers. We wish to thank Supt. Haney and Mr. Peffer for the splendid work they are doing in our school. We hope for them many more such years.

Our teachers wish to thank all the patrons of our district for their splendid cooperation in our school work this year.

Liver Too Large

The liver in a human body is about seven times as large as necessary for the work the organ does.

Story of Tung Oil

Tung oil for paint, that is exported from China, must be brought down the Yangtze river in junks. Those native boats must come through rocky gorges and shoot rapid after rapid. It is estimated that one out of every ten boats is lost on the trip to the mouth of the river. Consequently, when a junk makes a successful journey, the crew celebrates with fireworks as a tribute to the images of river gods which are carved on the stones on the banks.



For A festive CHRISTMAS

"Georgie Porgie, pudding and pie, Kissed the girls and made them cry..."

WHICH was very reprehensible of that goul Mother Goose character, but, after all, a good deal of latitude should be allowed the boys around the holidays. Perhaps he might even be content with these:

Yuletide Kisses: Beat the whites of four eggs until stiff but not too dry. Fold in one cup sugar, one teaspoon almond flavoring and one cup canned moist coconut. Drop by small spoonfuls on an ungreased brown paper. Decorate tops with tiny red and green candies or with blue candy shot in mixed colors. Bake in a very slow oven at 250 degrees for forty-five minutes.

A Holiday Pudding: Cream two tablespoons butter and one-half cup sugar, and add one well-beaten egg. Add one and a quarter squares melted chocolate. Sift together one and an eighth cups flour, two teaspoons baking powder and one-eighth teaspoon salt, and add alternately with one-fourth cup evaporated milk combined with one-fourth cup water. Pour into a well-greased tube cake tin or a pudding mold, and cover tightly with an oiled paper or a regular cover. Steam one and a half hours. Turn out and serve with the following sauce:

Raisin and Nut Sauce: Cook one-half cup seedless raisins in one cup water until plump and the water entirely absorbed. Cream one-half cup butter with two cups confectioner's sugar.

WEST LIBERTY SCHOOL NOTES

Richard Lacy and Nellie Cooper have withdrawn from school.

Jewel McKenzie was absent from school last Thursday on account of her grandmother's death.

Ella Ruth Childers and Lurline Reed were visiting in Sellersville last Saturday.

Billy Barber spent the week end with his parents at Delmar.

Anna Whit of Penn visited friends at Morehead on Sunday.

Helen Stacy and Viva Bowles called on friends at Paintsville on Saturday.

Pharise Cox visited home folks at Dugout over the week end.

The Red Devils jammed in Paintsville last Friday and then met the Oil Springs Quintet. Oil Springs won by a score of 26-16. The Red Devils will meet Clifford on the local floor Dec. 17 and Cannel City Dec. 20.

The Junior and senior classes will present a three act comedy drama entitled "In the Money" at the Rex theater Thursday night, Dec. 19, at 7 p.m. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Prof. H. E. Whit was absent from school Monday on account of illness.

Christmas holidays begin Friday, Dec. 20, at 3:15, and end Monday, Dec. 30, at 8 a.m.

In addition to the basketball team, the following teachers and pupils attended the basketball game at West Liberty on Friday, W. L. Carpenter, E. A. Vaughn, Helen Price, Ethel Marie Elam, Nellie Chisley, Virginia Nickell, and Charles Barton.

Church and Sunday school record for Sunday, Dec. 8, was as follows:

Mrs. Turner's room, 50 percent.

Mrs. Wormsley's room, 43 percent.

Mr. McKenzie's room, 35 percent.

Mrs. Burton's room, 22 percent.

Mrs. Allen's room, 50 percent.

Miss Keeton's room, 15 percent.

Mr. Whit's room, 50 percent.

Mr. Burton's room, 50 percent.

Mr. Vaughn's room, 20 percent.

Mr. McGuire's room, 23 percent.

The fourth meeting of the P.T.A. this year will be held next Monday night, Dec. 16, at 7 o'clock.

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CURRENT EVENTS IN REVIEW

By Edward W. Pickard

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Roosevelt's Speech at Georgia Homecoming

ONE hundred thousand Democrats, mostly Georgians, gathered in the stadium of Georgia Tech at Atlanta for a homecoming and heard President Roosevelt deliver a characteristic speech, full of confidence, assurance of prosperity and praise for what the New Deal has accomplished. And he did not neglect to attack warmly the critics of his administration. In reviewing the economic and social advances since his inauguration he gave out what was considered the keynote for his campaign for re-election, and definitely announced his candidacy—unnecessarily—by asserting that life in the United States has improved in the last two and a half years and will continue to improve "if I have anything to do with it."

Mr. Roosevelt promised that lavish government spending was over and that the nation could look forward with assurance to a decreasing deficit, and asserted that the government credit is higher than that of any other great nation. He bitterly criticized the treasury policies prior to his entrance into the White House, traced the relief policies as opposed to doles and declared that the peak of appropriations has passed.

The President said farm income in the United States has risen since 1932 a total of nearly three billions and this additional farm income "has meant the return of city business, the reopening of closed factories, the doubling of automobile production, the improvement of transportation and the giving of new employment to millions of people."

"The word 'progress,' concluded Mr. Roosevelt, 'is a better word than 'recovery,' for it means not only a sound business and a sound agriculture from the material point of view, but it means, with equal importance, a sound improvement in American life as a result of continuing and forceful effort on the part of our people, and, through them, on the part of their government. I am certain that that is your purpose; and that is why I continue my confidence, my faith in the people of America."

In those phrases and in his high praise of the New Deal experiments, the President made clear his intention of carrying on his program for altering and bettering the social and economic life of the American people regardless of the return of material prosperity.

Governor Talmadge of Georgia, who though a Democrat is a severe critic of the President and many of his policies, pointedly absented himself from the meeting in Atlanta, spending the day on his farm. Several days later he replied to Mr. Roosevelt's speech in a radio address.

Republican opinion of the President's address might be summarized in the remark of Harrison E. Spangler, director of the Chicago G. O. P. headquarters: "Gulliver has started his travels again and we'll all be hearing some more tall stories."

Situation in Europe Is Becoming Tenser

EUROPEAN diplomats, especially the British and Premier Laval of France, are exceedingly clever and resourceful, but if they are to extricate their nations from the present threatening state of affairs they will need all their smartness. Though delicate as to the imposition of an oil embargo against Italy was postponed until December 9 to give Laval a chance to conciliate Mussolini, the duke refused to make any gesture toward peace. Italians were authoritatively warned not to mistake diplomatic exchanges between their premier and the representatives of Great Britain and France as "peace talk," and were told there was no reason to believe Mussolini had modified his minimum terms already presented to Sir Eric Drummond and Laval's representative. Also he has declined further to conciliate Britain by removing more troops from Libya and has repeated his warning that he will consider an oil embargo an unfriendly gesture. He and all Italians are especially resentful against Great Britain, which apparently intends to insist on the oil ban. And now they are getting very sore at France, despite Laval's efforts to maintain friendly relations between the two countries. There were reports that Italian troops were being massed along the French frontier.

The British government was embarrassed with the troublesome situation. Sir Samuel Hoare, foreign secretary, received timely orders from his physical plan to take a rest in Switzerland, and it was announced he would stop in Paris for a conference with Premier

Laval. The admiralty was preparing for eventualities and ordered officers of the royal navy reserve to report at once for duty at Plymouth. These men have been serving as officers and engineers in the merchant marine.

End of Federal Relief Shifts Millions to WPA Rolls

WITH the end of November direct federal relief came to an end, and it was officially announced that 3,500,000 persons had been shifted from relief rolls to the WPA pay rolls and put to work. Other millions of employables who have been receiving the federal dole but who cannot be hired by the Works Progress Administration because state quotas have been filled must be cared for by the states which will be helped by the final allotments made by the FERA before it went out of existence. As for the "unemployables," numbering perhaps 4,000,000, Aubrey Williams, assistant administrator, said the problem of their care would be solved satisfactorily.

Statistical charts on the relief situation, prepared by the research section of the FERA, were issued in pamphlet form and show that unemployment decreased about 3,000,000 in the first two years of the Roosevelt administration.

New Corn-Hog Program Announced by Wallace

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE WALLACE announced the corn-hog program for 1937-38. Designed to maintain a balance between the interests of the producer and the consumer, this new plan will permit a 20 per cent increase in hog production next year over 1935, thus preparing the way for possible reductions in pork prices to the housewife; and to restrict corn acreage to about 35,000,000 acres, an increase of about 1,400,000 acres over the amount harvested this year.

After appraisal by community committees and review by county allotment committees, a corn acreage base and a market hog base will be fixed. Co-operating producers must agree to plant corn next year on at least 25 per cent of their base acreages. They will be permitted to retire from 10 to 30 per cent of their base acreage for soil-improving or erosion-preventing purposes. Hog growers must agree to produce between 50 and 100 per cent of the base market production.

The 1936 corn adjustment payment will be 35 cents a bushel on the approved yield times the adjusted acreage, less the pro rata share of local administrative expenses.

Corn adjustment payments will be made in two installments. The first, at the rate of 20 a bushel, is to be made about August 1. The second will come due about December 31, 1936, at the rate of 15 cents per bushel.

A payment of \$1.25 per head will be made on each hog in the base. Reductions will be made at the rate of \$2.50 per head if a producer fails to raise 50 per cent of his base number. The total payment to a producer will be the same for a production ranging from 50 per cent to 100 per cent of his base.

The 1937 rates will be announced by November 30, 1936, but the rate on corn will not be less than 30 cents per bushel and the rate on hogs will not be less than \$1.25 per head.

President May Attend National Convention

THERE is a possibility that President Roosevelt will attend the national Democratic convention which will re-nominate him. It was reported in a Baltimore paper that he wished the convention to be held in an eastern city, and some one at the White House, when asked about this, replied:

"Maybe. The President might want to go, and he would not want to travel too far."

Death of Dr. J. H. Breasted, Named Orientalist

DR. JAMES HENRY BREASTED of the University of Chicago, one of the world's leading orientalist, died in New York of an illness contracted on shipboard as he was returning from a visit to research expeditions in the Near East which were under his direction. He was seventy years old. His expeditions to Egypt and eastern Asia and his excavations there added vastly to the history of civilization.

Princess Victoria, favorite sister of King George of England, died at her home in Buckinghamshire at the age of sixty-seven. She suffered from ill health through most of her life and never was married.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for December 15

EZRA TEACHING THE LAW OF GOD

LESSON TEXT—Ezra 7:10; Nehemiah 8:12. GOLDEN TEXT—Thy word have I hid in my heart, that I might not sin against thee. Psalm 119:11.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Giving Thanks for God's Word.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Giving Thanks for God's Word.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Studying the Bible Together.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Bible in National Life.

This lesson is a fine illustration of the rightful place of God's Word in the life of a nation. The only cure for national ills is a return to God and obedience to his Word.

I. The Teacher's Spiritual Condition (Ezra 7:10).

He prepared his heart to seek the law of the Lord, to do it, and to teach Israel the statutes and judgments.

1. The Word of God Read (Neh. 8:1-3).

1. The eager assembly (v. 1). The people gathered together and requested Ezra to bring the book of the law. God had touched their hearts, creating within them a yearning for his Word.

2. A representative assembly (v. 2). God's Word should be taught to all classes—men, women, and children.

The Spirit of God can speak through his Word to the whole family sitting in the same pew.

3. An appreciative assembly (v. 3). So eager were they to know God's Word that they did not get tired, although the lesson lasted for five or six hours. When people realize that God is speaking through his Word they will give attention.

II. The People's Attitude Toward God's Word (v. 4-6).

1. Due reverence shown (v. 4, 5). When Ezra opened the law all the people stood up out of respect for God's Word.

2. They joined heartily in prayer (v. 6). As Ezra led them in prayer they united in saying, "Amen, Amen," bowing their faces to the ground.

IV. God's Word Being Interpreted (v. 7, 8).

The attitude of the people toward God's Word largely depends upon the minister. Proper dignity and solemnity should be manifested by the minister when reading the Holy Scriptures.

1. He stood up where the people could see him (v. 5).

2. He read distinctly (v. 8). The manner in which many read the Scriptures is greatly to their discredit.

3. He caused the people to understand (v. 8). The supreme business of the minister and teacher is to make the Word of God so plain that old and young can understand. The explanation should be clear and definite.

V. The Effect of Applying God's Word to the Life of the People (v. 9-13).

1. Conviction of sin (v. 9). The divine method of convicting men of their sin is to have God's Word applied by the Holy Spirit. The Word of God is quick and powerful (Heb. 4:12).

2. Weeping turned into joy (v. 10-12). When sins have been perceived and confessed there is forgiveness. Continued mourning will not atone for past sins. Furthermore, it dishonors a pardoning God and even unfits the one for present tasks. Joy has a salutary effect upon one's entire being. "The joy of the Lord is your strength."

3. Blessings were shared with others (v. 10-12). True joy manifests itself in giving to others. Pure religion goes out to minister to the poor (James 1:27). Godliness is not content with having a good time alone.

4. The feast of the tabernacles had long been neglected. They kept this sacred feast in a way that had not been since the days of Joshua.

5. They separated themselves from the ungodly (13:1-3). As soon as they heard the Word of God they separated themselves from the mixed multitude.

6. The house of worship was cleared and order restored (13:4-14). No nation or people can be strong which neglects the worship of the true God.

7. The Sabbath was restored (13:15-22). Israel had long violated the Sabbath. To ignore the essential law of the Sabbath is national suicide. Unnumbered evils followed in the wake of the desecration of God's holy day.

8. God's law of marriage restored (13:23-31). Some of those who had intermarried with the heathen were brought face to face with their sin. They separated themselves from their ungodly companions. God's favor cannot be enjoyed by those who live in disobedience to his Word.

A Splendid Mystery

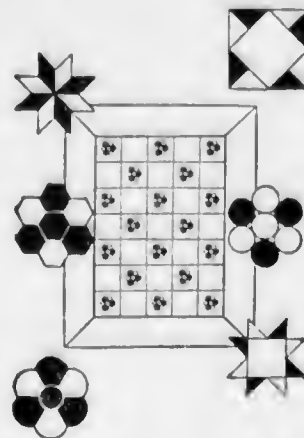
To me there is something thrilling and exciting in the thought that we are drifting forward into a splendid mystery—into something that no mortal eye hath yet seen, and no intelligence has yet declared.—E. H. Chaplin.

Service in the rest we pay for our room on earth.

Friends Of bumblers friends scorn not one.

Inexpensive, Easy Patchwork Quilts

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



Patchwork quilts as a rule are elaborate, cost quite a bit and represent many days of tedious work. This work and cost can be cut down to a minimum as shown in the illustration. Any of these designs can be used on eighteen nine-inch blocks and so arranged to make a full size quilt. About three ounces or one yard of prints is all that is required for the patchwork. Folder No. 230 in colors illustrates four ways to assemble these different designs, also cut out diagrams for six different patches like the above. Information about yardage required for back, border and blocks is also given.

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Riksdag Votes by Electricity

Votes taken in the Riksdag, the parliament of Sweden, are counted by electricity. On the desk of each deputy are three buttons. When a vote is taken the deputy presses the button which records his opinion, and within a minute the total results appear in luminous figures behind the seat of the president.

We're Still Getting Mad On as the Savages Do

When Tom Sawyer and the new boy first met and took one another's measure they worked themselves up to the point of combat by passing insults and dares. In the Arabian desert, when the tribes feel the urge for battle, they prepare for it by dispatching impudent verse back and forth. When one side feels that the impertinence can only be atoned for in blood the shouts give way to blows. All very childish, of course. But is it so much different from the civilized methods? Young Italians threaten the British embassy in Lash places of business. The Brits threaten the Italian embassy in Lash places of business. The inspired press of Italy is as contemptuous of all things British as are the Hedouin versifiers of their tribal enemies. And Britain moves up warships from Gibraltar to Malta, in the very shadow of the Italian toe, as though to pinch it. The principle is the same all the way through, and even the practice does not increase greatly in dignity.

Isle Ranks High in Cleanliness

Lanai was a cattle ranch 20 years ago, but today is noted for penicillins and pineapples. Sixth Island in size in the Hawaiian group, its Lanai City is called the most immaculately kept American municipality in all the islands. Streets are paved in various colors, streets are shaded by Norfolk pines and yards glow with hibiscus blooms and flowering trees.

Persistent Resistance to Temptation Proof

To resist temptation once is not a sufficient proof of honesty. If a servant, indeed, were to resist the continued temptation of allying lying in a window, as some people let it lie, when he is sure his master does not know how much there is of it he would give strong proof of honesty. But this is a proof to which you have no right to put a man. You know, humanly speaking, there is a degree of temptation which will overcome any virtue. Now, in as far as you approach temptation to a man, you do him an injury; and, if he overcomes, you share his guilt.—Doctor Johnson.

Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

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SEEN and HEARD around the NATIONAL CAPITAL By Carter Field FAMOUS WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT



Washington.—Representative James P. Buchanan, chairman of the house appropriations committee, is far from the relief, bedeviling President Roosevelt, that he has been made to appear in the recent discomfiture from Warm Springs and Washington.

Actually he is a member of the team, and at the moment is doing yeoman service for the "quarterback," as Mr. Roosevelt sometimes likes to style himself. His present play of forcing the President's hand on economy and budget balancing, his hopes that the President will eventually be in agreement with him, despite his own admission that he—Buchanan—is a "family" on budget balancing, is all part of a very shrewdly calculated drama, not entirely unconnected with the election campaign next year.

For Roosevelt himself is thoroughly convinced not only of the necessity for making a very strong play toward economy in his budget message next month, and of painting a picture indicating that the budget will be balanced in due time, but also of the necessity of some extraordinary method of making the country believe he means it.

He has been told very frankly that the very interests he most wants to pin-point—to win over to the conviction that, from an economic and fiscal standpoint, he is perfectly safe—disfranchise his words. He has been told that it will take a great deal of skill to convince them he really intends to do what he promises in that budget message. Hard-boiled cynics are very difficult to convince by mere words, especially when some of those cynics believe firmly that the speaker of the words has fooled them before. So the problem was to stage a little drama in advance of the budget message, which would lead up to it, and pave the way for its being believed.

Would Cut Budget Deficit

It wasn't just a trial balloon which the Texas congressman sent up when he talked about cutting the budget deficit down to half a billion dollars for the year beginning July 1, next, and to scratch for the following year, after which expenditures were to be kept within income.

The idea is to have the country read the President's budget promises next month with the knowledge that the head of the house appropriations committee wants to go even further toward budget balancing than the President himself.

If the New Dealers had figured for a month they could not have devised a more convincing plan for persuading the country—not just of the President's intentions, but that they would be carried out.

For Mr. Buchanan is far from being just a congressman. He is chairman of the one committee in the house that handles all appropriations. Subcommittees appointed by him and working under him scrutinize the proposed expenditures for every governmental department and agency. House members as a whole are very prone to follow the recommendations of the house appropriations committee. For one thing, it provides them a very simple and effective bill for their votes. It saves lots of embarrassing explanations to critical constituents.

Moreover, business is perfectly aware that at the other end of the Capitol, the appropriations committee is presided over by Carter Glass of Virginia, who was so worried about national credit and the administration's spending policies that he wanted to cut the famous four-billion-dollar bill last year to two billion dollars. Senators do not pay as much attention to committee recommendations as do house members, but Mr. Glass and Mr. Buchanan will both be on the conference committee that will iron out differences between the two houses.

Lewis Vs. Green

That John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, has all the cards in the information labor battle, as far as issues are concerned, most labor leaders here privately agree, and would win the fight promptly if his name were William Green.

Or to put it more succinctly, if he had Green's personality, and Green's background, and Green's friendships. The American Federation of Labor is marching toward victory, or industry unions, and away from the old form of craft unions. But the oligarchy of the federation leans heavily toward Green, their president. Not only do the majority of the leaders distrust Lewis, but they include many who actively dislike him.

Lewis, many of them say privately, has been a successful fighter for the United Mine Workers. He has been aggressive, battling every moment. But he never knew when to lay his fighting manners aside. As a result, in conferences of labor leaders he has tried to ride over his colleagues just as though they were nothing but capitalists, and with all the contempt in his expression, both facial and by words, as if they were trying to starve his followers into submission.

Entirely aside from all this personal feeling, many of them point out that battling for the Mine Workers, successful as it has been so far as winning each battle that came up was concerned, has proved rather disastrous for the workers in the long run.

If Lewis had been kind, for instance, of the automobile workers, and they had followed him with the same percentage of loyalty that the coal miners have demonstrated, the story would be very different.

For in the case of the automobile industry, it has been expanding year by year. Every season it needed more workers than the season before. Not only was the demand for its product growing, but there was no other industry competing with it—taking away its markets.

Success a Backfire

In the coal industry, however, there has been active competition from oil, both for ships and for factories, and even for homes. There has been the rapid development of gas and electrical competition. For example, the electrification of the Pennsylvania railroad from New York to Washington. And there has been a very heavy slump in international trade, which necessitated the shipping curve of railroad coal consumption, as shipping, especially the big trunk lines, leading to ports.

So that in boosting the price of coal by increasing wages, Lewis' success has had a decided backfire. This is not the sort of point that usually gives labor leaders much pause. But they cite it as showing that Lewis lacks judgment.

However, several very large employers, who have been operating virtually open shops for some time, have told labor leaders privately they do not object to letting their present company unions—forced by NIRA—into vertical or industry unions. What they are worried about is having to deal with twenty to thirty different craft unions, which frequently, they have observed in other concerns, get into quarrels among themselves and produce strikes which are not to be blamed, even by the workers, on their employers.

They want to be able to settle all their labor troubles with one set of officials—with one union. And they have served notice that they will fight to the death against the organization of their workers into the present craft unions.

Farley Shocks Them

The brain trust wing of the administration, as distinguished from the practical political wing, was shocked beyond words at the remarks of Postmaster J. Edgar Hoover at Denver before the Colorado Democratic central committee.

Mr. Farley's words, which so aroused the brain trusters who have been made sick at heart again and again at having their legislative ideas "mangled" on Capitol Hill, were:

"The second error is that the delegation in the national legislature are expected to be more rubber stamps to carry out the will of the President. On the contrary, let me assure you that the member of independent habit and judgment is the one most appreciated by the administration. It is the President's function to recommend legislation. To advise congress what he deems requisite for the welfare of the nation. Those who have faith in his judgment go along with him, but there is neither pressure brought on the congressmen to follow the President's lead, nor hostility or reprisal for those who differ with him. It is rare that any important measure goes through without amendment. So much for that!"

The exclamation point at the conclusion of this paragraph appears in the official text, and most people at Washington, of whatever political persuasion, and in whatever office, agree that the punctuation is correct.

What bothers the brain trusters is not the accuracy or lack of it in the historical part of the paragraph. They chuckle at that part. But not at the intimation that what Farley intimated had been done would be the policy in the future.

Turning on the Heat

Now if ever in the history of Presidential dealing with Capitol Hill more heat was turned on by the White House to win senators away from the Glass-Adams side of this controversy, and get them to vote for the nearly five billions which the administration wanted, old-timers around Washington do not remember it. And remember that Mr. Adams, just praised by Farley, was one of the ringleaders of the move to cut the appropriation in half!

But that was then, while now is something else again. Farley is not worried about legislation next session. He is worried about the election. That is his job. At the time of the four-billion-dollar fight Farley, as a matter of fact, was in the midst of it. He did his utmost to help the White House dragon the reluctant senators into voting for a bill which Glass and Adams thought was too great a strain on the national credit.

And this is no time, from Farley's point of view, to bring up the merits of that controversy. President Roosevelt's every effort is being bent, at the moment, to the task of making the next budget look more reassuring to the business interests of the country. Hence all the talk about the blue pencil being freely used on estimates for appropriations.

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Uncle Sam's Fine Bulls Must Have Exercise



AT THE Department of Agriculture's experimental laboratory farm at Beltsville, Md., government scientists are engaged in improving the breed of domestic animals to produce the best meats for the tables of the American people. Because the bulls used in breeding this ultra special brand of cattle are kept in an enclosure, they get their daily exercise on the specially devised machine illustrated above.

Bedtime Story for Children

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

SAMMY JAY IS MODEST

AS SOON as the angry hunter with the terrible gun had disappeared among the trees of the Green Forest and Lightfoot was sure that he had gone for good, Lightfoot came out from his hiding place among the young hickory trees on the top of the ridge and walked down to the pond of Paddy the Renner for a drink.

He knew that it was quite safe to do so, for Sammy Jay had followed the hunter, all the time screaming, "Thief! Thief! Thief!" Every one



"That Blue-Coated Mischief-Maker isn't such a Bad Fellow at Heart After All, Is He?" Said He.

within hearing could tell just where that hunter was by Sammy's voice. It kept growing fainter and fainter and by that Lightfoot knew that the hunter was getting farther and farther away. Paddy the Renner swam out from his hiding place and climbed out on the bank near Lightfoot. There was a twinkle in his eyes. "That blue-coated mischief-maker isn't such a bad fellow at heart, after all, is he?" said he.

Lightfoot lifted his beautiful head and set his ears forward to catch the sound of Sammy's voice in the distance. "Sammy Jay may be a mischief-maker, as some people say," said he, "but you can always count on him to provide a true friend in times of danger. He brought me warning of the coming of the hunter the other morning. You saw him save Mr. and Mrs. Quack a little while ago, and then he actually drove that hunter away. I suppose Sammy Jay has saved more lives than anyone I know of. I wish he would come back here and let me thank him."

Some time later, Sammy Jay did

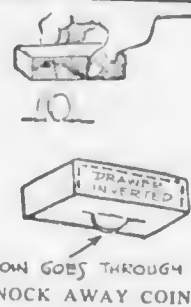
Silk Crepe Dress



Chic black is accented with rhinestones in this attractive dress of suede surface silk crepe. The shirring down the front of the bodice and at the top of the sleeves repeats the idea of the shirring in the skirt.

"The honeymoon is over," says newlywed Nan, "when your husband starts reading the sports pages again." © Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

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COIN GOES THROUGH
KNOCK AWAY COIN

THE magician spins a coin on the table. He strikes it flat with a match box. He asks whether the coin lies heads or tails. People guess; the box is lifted to find the answer.

Again the coin is spun. Down comes the box. Once more guesses are made; some heads some tails. "All wrong," says the wizard. He lifts the box; the coin has vanished.

In preparing for this surprising trick, the magician first empties the matches from the box; then inserts the drawer upside down. After a few preliminary spins, he is ready to make the coin vanish.

He brings the box sharply down upon the spinning coin. The stroke causes the coin to cut through the bottom of the match box. The magician lifts the box and drops it in his pocket while he points to the spot from which the coin has vanished.

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MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

SEASONABLE DISHES

THIS is the time of the year when pickles, preserves, relishes and marinades are especially enjoyed. Most of these good things have been all ready prepared, yet there are a few most delightful ones left.

Cranberry Relish.

Take two cupsful each of sour or cooking apples, put through the coarse knife of the food chopper with two cupsful of cranberries, add one cupful of sugar, one-fourth cupful of pecan meats finely shredded and set away for two or three days to season. This is delicious with turkey or goose.

Indian Chutney.

Take one pound of sour apples peeled and sliced; one-half pound of onions peeled and coarsely chopped; one pound of brown sugar (the light brown); one-half pound of raisins cut fine; four ounces each of salt and ginger; two ounces of dry mustard; one-half ounce of cayenne; four cloves of garlic finely chopped and one quart of mild vinegar. Cook the apples, onions, garlic and sugar, salt and vinegar until soft, then pass them through a very fine sieve. Add the raisins and ginger with the other ingredients, mix well and stand in a jar in a warm (not hot) place until the following day. The next day, seal the jar.

Coffee Carnival.

If you like an unusual dessert try this: Take four tablespoonsful of quick

cooking tapioca, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, one-third of a cupful of seedless raisins, two cupsful of coffee infusion, one-half cupful of sugar, one teaspoonful of vanilla and one cupful of cream whipped. Add salt, tapioca and raisins to the coffee and cook in a double boiler until the tapioca is clear, stirring often. Add sugar, chili and add the vanilla. Serve with the whipped cream folded in; serve in sherbet glasses.

To raisins steamed until soft or cooked in orange juice until soft, add chopped pecans and use as sandwich filling for very thinly sliced nut buttered bread.

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Students Get Gas From White Clover



HAROLD OHLGREN, twenty-two, of Cokato, Minn., and William Mahle, twenty, of Macalester college, Minneapolis, claim to have discovered a process by which usable combustible commercial gas can be obtained from wild white sweet clover. The gas, methane and ethane, says the discoverers, can be furnished to consumers at half the present cost of commercial gas in most residential communities, and the growing and manufacture would furnish a number of by-products, including honey, alcohol and acetone. Backing for the statements of the two young scientists was given by two of their instructors, R. U. Jones, head of the chemistry department of Macalester college, and Dr. B. Hastings, chemical professor of that institution.

THE RIGHTS OF ALL

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THE world of all, and then our kind,
Our nation, then our state
And then our town, for so we find
The good that makes us great.
The rights of all
We must recall,
And not a single race,
Our country love,
Yet thinking of
Each mortal in each place.

But, if the place consider just
Itself, the man his own,
The land will crumble into dust,
For none can stand alone,
If for a class
And not the mass.
We legislate and plan,
Then come the things
We were from kings,
Then come the rights of man.

Manhood must take a larger view
To prosper and progress.
For selfishness is nothing new,
And nothing much to bless,
The rights of all
We must recall.
Not for a few contrive,
The rights secure
Of rich and poor,
Or neither will survive
F. D. O. Malloch—WNU Service.

Champion Husker



Elmer Carlson of Ansonia, Iowa, won the world's corn husking championship at the contest at Newtown, Ind., by husking 41.52 bushels of yellow Indian corn. This was a new world's record. Carlson is twenty-six years old and weighs 175 pounds, and this was his first try at national honors.

DADA KNOWS—



"Pop, what is a mortgage?"
"Big overhead."
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HEARD AROUND THE CORNER

MIDDLEFORK

Miss Jewel Pelfrey and the Rev. J. H. Hays were visiting relatives in Middlefork on Friday night and Sunday.

A. J. Hays was visiting relatives in Middlefork on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gilliam were at West Liberty on business Saturday.

Donald Webb was at West Liberty on business.

EDON

Dec. 6—Mrs. Barker and Riley L. Hays were business visitors at West Liberty on Saturday.

Mrs. Donzel Goodpastor and children, Judy and Maryline, were Saturday night visitors at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, at Edon.

Mrs. W. B. Barker visited her son, Edon, and family, at Ashland, and attended the funeral of her uncle, J. M. Brown, on Thanksgiving day.

Samuel Lawson and son-in-law, Noah Wells, were supper guests Sunday at Oliver Robinson. After supper Mr. Lawson returned home accompanied by Noah Wells and his charming wife.

Farmers of this vicinity are thin stripping tobacco and are now handling it to market.

Olney Barker, Edgar McIntire, and Herschel Miller, of Ashland, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Barker and family for a few days.

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BROWNIE

Dec. 5—W. L. Mann and daughters, Edith and Lizzie, visited relatives at Middletown, O., a few days last week.

Miss Mae Manning of Brownie visited her sister, Mrs. Alice May, here, a few days last week.

Miss Kathleen Demko, who is attending school at West Liberty, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Demko, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cox of Dan visited Mrs. Cox's mother, Mrs. H. B. May, Sunday.

Harold May and W. L. Mann were at Lexington on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McKinney and little son Harold visited Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Aldrich, at Grass Creek, Wednesday and Thursday.

Thomas Cox and W. L. Mann were at West Liberty on Wednesday.

Tom May, who is attending school at Edon, visited his parents over the week end.

Orlo May, of Artville, spent Sunday night here with his sister, Mrs. Alice May.

Mrs. T. M. Demko and daughter Kathleen visited Mrs. Demko's mother, Mrs. H. B. May, here, Saturday.

Jim Amyx of Woodshend was here the first of the week.

Rev. Jim Helton and daughter, Jewel, of Edon, passed thru here Saturday.

Success to the Courier.

WELLS HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fugate and little daughter Janice Joe and Mr. Fugate's mother spent the week end with Mrs. Fugate's father, James Elam, at Little Caney.

Misses Orlean Potter and Sylvia Eggleston and Kenneth Wells, of Wells Hill, called on Miss Lillian Wells Thursday afternoon.

One of Donna Helton's fine shots choked to death while he was feeding them Wednesday. The meat was not lost, as he immediately butchered it.

Mrs. Mori Neal, Mrs. Coy Davis, Jeanette Neal, Iola Davis, and Roger West were shopping in Edon and Frenchburg on Saturday. They also had a pleasant visit at the CCC camp near Frenchburg.

Miss Mattie Thomas, who has been very ill, is improving nicely.

Mrs. Edna Helton is working on the sewing project at West Liberty this week.

Frank West and Walter Thomas, who are in the CCC camps at Frenchburg, spent the week end at home.

The quilting society met with Mrs. Ansel Fugate Friday. Most of the members were present, and also a visitor, Miss Sylvia Eggleston. All enjoyed the quilting and the delicious homemade candy.

Mrs. C. S. Wells, Mrs. Ansel Fugate, Mrs. Mae Adams, and Lorne Wells attended with the G. A. club the Baptist young people's rally at Paintsville on Saturday. They reported a very interesting program.

Prayer meeting was well attended Wednesday night. All enjoyed the services conducted by Mose Turner of West Liberty, who the order was not as good as usual.

Miss Dorothy McKenzie taught our school Monday, as the teacher, Miss Olive Fannin, was ill.

OPIR

Dec. 6—Friend Rowland has been confined to his bed for some time.

R. T. Pendleton made a business trip to Paintsville on Wednesday.

J. E. Cartrell has installed a new radio.

Yours and friends Smith were home for the week end from Crockett, where they attend high school.

The road workers of this place are having a fine trip going to Lenoxy to work.

Donald E. Webb, our local author, has had some of his stories published in the Paintsville News.

Alvin Jenkins is in a very serious condition from effects of fever.

Christmas is just around the corner and I am wishing everybody a merry Christmas.

WAR CREEK

Dec. 7—There was a pile supper at the War Creek schoolhouse Nov. 20, with a large crowd attending. All had a new time. The proceeds amounted to \$26.44, including the school's pig, which brought \$10.25.

Woodrow Roman of this place and Florence Day of Lenoxy were united in marriage Nov. 28. The groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Crissie Roman of this place. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Day of Lenoxy. The writer wishes them much joy thru life.

War Creek school is preparing a Christmas program for the Tuesday before Christmas, Dec. 24.

Mrs. Maud Tyree and daughter, Lola, spent last week end at West Liberty visiting Mrs. Tyree's brother, Hugh Black, and family, and her sister, Mrs. Corn Litteral, and family.

Mrs. S. M. Potter and sons Roy and William, of this place, are planning to start to old Virginia on Dec. 8 to visit her mother, Mrs. Betty Short.

Hog killing and gathering corn are in order of the day here.

Success to the Courier.

MAY FLOWER

Dec. 6—Halsey was the Saturday night guest of J. B. Fugate and family. Dan Carpenter, T. H. Henry, and Ansel Kemphth went to Lexington with a truckload of tobacco Wednesday.

Powell Henry Jr. of Licking River was here on business Friday.

Mrs. G. B. Cox spent Saturday with Mrs. Halsey Goss at Woodshend.

Mrs. T. H. Henry attended the funeral of Mrs. Ed Hays at Licking River on Thursday.

Ed Brooks and G. B. Cox were at West Liberty on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Williams of West Virginia visited a few days here last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Henry, of Woodshend.

Ova Cox returned Thursday from Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor May of West Liberty spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Henry and family.

Church services will be conducted here Saturday night and Sunday, Dec. 14 and 15, by Revs. Todd and Halsey Lewis. Helms visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Detusk of Good Ridge a few days last week.

Victor Kemphth of Edon was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kemphth, Saturday night.

UNCLE ZIP

NICKEL

Dec. 6—High school is progressing nicely here with Anna Nickel as our teacher. Attendance is about 25.

Chloe Daniel and Courtney Hays, of Johnson county, and Supt. Ova Hays, of West Liberty, were in this vicinity Monday bird hunting.

Dewey Steele went to Detroit, Mich., this week to work.

Miss Zola Hays, helping teacher of Mahan, visited Nickel school on Tuesday.

People in this neighborhood are taking their tobacco to Lexington to market.

Teachers of Centerville school, Marl Hays and Norine Dunn, were guests of their little pupils, Marcus and Frank Elliott Gevedon, Monday night.

Mrs. Grace Hays was at West Liberty on business Friday.

The writer was sorry to hear of the death of K. P. Nickell of Florress.

Dear reader, do your Christmas shopping early and let's each make someone happy by giving Christmas presents. Christmas is such a glorious time to distribute gifts on Christmas morn in remembrance of a new babe (our Savior) who was born on Christmas day in the town of Bethlehem of Judea. The wise men came from afar and presented gifts to the babe. Oh how happy we should be on Christmas day, to think of such a loving Savior who came to this low ground of sorrow and who died on the cruel cross of Calvary for the sins of the whole world, that we, thru Him, might have a right to the tree of life and enter in thru the gate into that celestial city!

Wishing everyone a merry Christmas and a happy new year.

MRS. GRACE HAYS

BURG

Dec. 6—Mr. and Mrs. Rola Haddix of this place visited her sister, in Cuttino, last Saturday and Sunday.

Allice Crase of this place was taken to Jackson hospital yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Elam were dinner guests Friday of K. H. Risner.

Mrs. Rola Haddix is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Risner. James H. Risner made a business trip to West Liberty on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kashi Bach of Morehead were visiting Mr. Bach's mother, Mrs. Nannie Bach, here, recently.

ELKFOR

Dec. 6—Rev. Bob Stengel and Antie Keeton, of Ashland, visited Mr. Keeton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Keeton, and other relatives here, and attended church at Laurel Fork. Mrs. Russell Adkins was converted, joined the church, and was baptized by her brother, Antie Keeton. They returned home Sunday.

Dora Hutchison, of Morehead, who is teaching school at Laurel, spent the week end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Conley.

L. S. Wheeler, John Wheeler, and Dewey Lewis were at Ashland on business Monday.

Clarence Conley is visiting his brother, Cyril Hutchison, and family, at Ashland.

Misses Alice and Maxine Finna, of Elliott county, were Saturday night guests of Misses Ersell and Berta Pelfrey. They also visited Joe and Martha Day.

Everett Day and Miss Josephine Day were quietly married Sunday, Dec. 1. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Day. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Day, all of Lenoxy. The writer wishes them a long and happy life together.

Louise Gambill of Spaw Creek and Miss Lura Hall, of this place, were united in matrimony Saturday Nov. 30. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gambill of Joplin. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hall. The writer wishes the couple a long and happy life together.

Henry Gilliam of Hingus was the Sunday guest of his brother-in-law, J. L. Pelfrey, and family, here.

Clarence Conley was at West Liberty on business Wednesday, and visited his cousin, Ollie Higgins, of Cox Branch.

Misses Jewel and Beulah Wheeler and Clarence Conley attended church recently at Hoscoe schoolhouse.

Frank Day of Portsmouth, Ohio was here last week on business and visited his brother, Joe Day.

Mrs. Ellen Ferguson and children, French and Lowell, of Crockett, visited her brother, Thomas Hutchison, and family, recently.

Success to the good old Courier and its crew.

TRUE PAL

JERTHA

Dec. 6—Miss Sparks has been working for his brother-in-law, Sanford Kelly, on Charles creek, the past week. Mr. Kelly ranching very low with tuberculosis.

Miss Jane Beallinger, daughter of Elder and Mrs. W. J. Beallinger, was married recently at Pikeville, and the newly weds have gone to housekeeping there.

Ivan Beallinger has returned from Iowa and other states after about three months' absence.

Harlan Fannin, Peter S. Smith, J. L. Lanaster, and Scott and Elmore Holcomb attended church last Saturday at Union church on Williams creek.

Mrs. B. B. Fannin is on the sick list. We were indeed saddened to hear of the sudden death of our friend, the Honorable L. T. Hovernale, who was a resident of West Liberty and editor of the Licking Valley Courier. He was the son of Joplin, and his son Alvin and family were his intimate friends. His articles here "Gumpkin" were both educational and instructive.

Elders J. C. Haddix of Hingus, W. J. and D. W. Beallinger and B. H. Ferguson, of Joplin, preached a funeral for their friend, K. P. Nickell at Florress, last Friday. He had many friends here whose sympathy goes out for the bereaved family and relatives.

A number of our citizens are working on Williams creek on the federal road extending from the mouth of Williams creek to the mouth of Smith creek by way of Peddler Hill. About one mile of the road is now graded and drained, near Elkhorn, and about one hundred men will begin work today at Hingus and work down Williams creek. This road, together with the state highway from West Liberty by way of Lenoxy, Crockett, and Relief connecting with the Mad Lick state highway (almost completed) will be a valuable asset to the western section of Morgan county and open a vast territory whose citizenship is beyond reproach, honest, industrious, hospitable. An outlet for about one third of Morgan county will be tapped by said roads. Altho coming at a late hour, we rejoice to know that in the near future the wheels will roll, bringing back merchandise as they take out the coal. SLAB

IT'S A QUEER WORLD: HERE IS THE PROOF

In order to show that this is a "queer world," the London Tit-Bits has gathered the following unusual items:

An entire village of fossilized wooden houses, believed to be 4,000 years old, in almost perfect preservation, has been unearthed near Birze (Poland).

Rushovsky, twenty-three-year-old chess player, playing against Sir George Thomas at Margate, was 70 minutes considering one move.

At one o'clock on the 13th the 13th hour of the 13th day of the month, three times 13 men sat down to lunch on at three tables of 13 each in a London hotel. They were members of the 13 club and their guests.

The world's first brewery is being sought by archeologists. It may have been operating in Mesopotamia about 6,000 years ago. Diggers have found a flat seal in the ancient mound of Tepe Gawra, where ruins of 20 cities are piled one upon the other. The seal shows two men stirring the contents of a vat with long poles.

A tiny electric motor, no larger than a thumbnail and weighing only a quarter of an ounce, has been constructed by a jeweler, of York, Nebraska. Many of the 78 parts are made of gold. It is operated by a three-volt battery.

Real Estate Mortgages Started 100 Years Ago

The history of real estate mortgages is about 100 years old.

The housing of federal loan laws to stimulate the construction industry may be traced back to an act passed by congress, June 23, 1890, authorizing and regulating the deposit of public money among the various states "for safe keeping."

On April 4, 1897, the New York legislature passed an enabling act setting up the machinery to make loans available for first mortgages. They were to run for five years and pay interest at 7 per cent. Nevertheless, many of them ran 15 years, and a few even longer.

The smallest loan on record, according to the New York Herald-Tribune, was for \$200, while the largest was for \$2,000.

Those in charge of the loans were known as "commissioners for loaning certain moneys of the United States in the county of New York."

In less than a month after the commissioners opened their doors for business, 25 mortgage applications were approved.

Eighteen of the approved loans were made on lower east side dwellings, most of them in the Corlear's Hook district which is today known as one of the worst slums in the country.

Biggest Wine Cask

The world's largest wine cask has served its time, and because it fails to hold wine it may be torn down. No suitable wood for repairing it can be found. The cask is on Count Esterhazy's estate at Haj, Hungary, and its capacity is 25,000 gallons. It was built in 1892 as the result of a bet. During a visit of English noblemen Count Esterhazy wagered that if the visitors shot all the pheasants on his estate he would have the birds made into a pie and sent to their London club. If the Englishmen failed they were to give him a wine cask holding as many gallons as the number of pheasants shot. The bet was 2,500 birds, but there were plenty still alive on the estate, and the 2,500-ale cask was built. It has been filled only three times. Twenty couples danced in it in 1878.

Thinking Children

The children of the United States possess a level of scientific thinking superior to that of the young of other countries. America's scientific tradition is made the thinking of American children more logical, Miss Jean L. Marquis, of the Institute of Child Welfare, University of Minnesota, declared after an experiment with 700 youngsters. They answered correctly such questions as "What makes the wind blow?" "What causes thunder?" "How is it that airplanes can stay up in the air?"—Collier's Weekly.

Labor of Love

Polish stone masons will work 1,000 hours for Poland free of charge as a tribute to the memory of Marshal Pilsudski, if an offer made by their association to the government is accepted. They want a huge stone statue of him erected by the government in Warsaw. To make this possible, the association is willing to pay the wages of skilled masons for 1,000 hours.

Ants That Eat Rats

Ants which feed on rodents are believed to have rid the agricultural district of Grant, Neb., Cape of Good Hope, of the rats and mice which overrun the place for years. Now the ants themselves are proving a minor plague, as they attack birds and poultry.

Would Take No Chance

Nurse—See the new baby that the doctor left.

Small Girl—I hope he's been famished! Dr. Brown visits such impossible places!—Brooklyn Eagle.

Back Fence in Britain

Favorite conversations of women in England have been found to be men, conditions of work and play, gossip, clothes, accidents, murders, movies, the stage, art and cooking.

Fearful Days

"I'd be almost afraid to have a lot of money."

"I wouldn't. It's not having it makes me 'shy.'"—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Apple Pomace Good Cow Feed, Tests Indicate

Large and increasing quantities of apples are ground and pressed in the manufacture of cider. In the past, little use has been made of the press cake or pomace which is often allowed to accumulate in huge heaps outside the building housing the cider press.

It has been the popular belief that apple pomace was comparatively worthless, or even dangerous, as a feed for live stock. Consequently, most of these pomace piles were allowed to decay or were hauled away as refuse.

The pomace is highly palatable, and if animals were allowed free access to it they would likely eat enough to cause them to founder or bloat.

Several agricultural experiment stations have shown by feeding comparisons that silage made from apple pomace has nearly the same feeding value as corn silage.

Pomace stored in drums or barrels for two or three months before opening loses only a very small amount through surface spoilage. Otherwise it keeps in perfect condition, except for an apparently harmless discoloration of the portion in immediate contact with the iron walls of the containers. It is highly palatable and can be used in much the same way and to the same extent as corn silage.

Low-Cutting Corn Sled

Some farms are too small and others do not plant enough acreage in corn to justify purchase of a corn blinder. In such instances corn-cutting with the old-fashioned hand knife is a slow and tedious job. But Uncle Sam has come to the rescue of such farmers by designing a corn-cutting sled which costs little to build, cuts two rows at a time and with which two men and a horse can cut as much in a day as with a standard one-row blinder. It cuts so low on even ground that little stubble is left in which corn borers may hide and saves from 1,500 to 2,000 pounds more fodder to the acre.

Removing Horns

Live horn has very little hollow space. When dried or dead the inner horn can be readily removed leaving the hollow outer shell. On the cow, says the Rural New-Yorker, horn is living tissue, and will bleed if cut sufficiently deep any place except near the tip. Some may cut the horn high with the mistaken idea it is more humane; actually it decreases bleeding very little if any. Cut the horn close to the head taking a thin ring of skin all the way around.

LOCAL NEWS

The Courier goes to Grade A homes

Joe Lykins, Robert Caskey, Russell Brown, and Misses Georgia Mae Caskey and Ruth McKenzie, of Morehead college, enjoyed the week end with their parents here.

666 COLD AND FEVER

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Stylish Drink

HOW it grows—the consumption of grapefruit juice in the country? Fresh berries are being dug up in Florida to send such delicious beverages in cans, and fresh additions are being made every day. Before two days when prohibition was repealed, ill-advised persons used to hurry off to Havana in order to partake of drinks that were not permitted here. Now that prohibition is no longer in force, well-advised persons may here and drink such beverages as this tantalizing

Atmosphere of the Elite

Another grapefruit combination that makes hot weather seem like a nuisance is the following:

Fruit Punch: Dissolve one cup honey in two and a half cups water, then add to boiling, add two and a half more cups of water, and a half more cups of sugar, and a half more cups of lemon juice and the contents of a No. 2 can grapefruit juice and chill thoroughly. This fills twenty-four punch glasses and carries the atmosphere associated with gorgeous frosted punch bowls with floating ice and presided over by a hostess who knows what's what.

And the following delectable drink also carries all the atmosphere of the socially elite.

Strawberry Grapefruitade: Boil four cups sugar and three cups water for five minutes. Cool. Toss two quarts strawberries, wash, crush, add one cup sugar and let stand for an hour. Then add to the cold syrup. Add the juice of twelve oranges and six lemons and the contents of two No. 2 cans of grapefruit juice. Just before serving add three quarts ginger ale, and serve over a large piece of ice in a punch bowl. Serves fifty.

Don't Be Misled

You might think that a beverage which is as swanky as all this would be expensive. Don't be misled. There is a large supply of grapefruit juice in cans, and commercial canning has done for it what it has done for many other foods formerly available only to the very rich. It has made it available to the entire public at a price that it can afford to pay.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Elliott and little son Donzell Hoyer visited C. H. Black and family over the week end.

The Intermediate girls of the Baptist Sunday school and a number of the friends enjoyed a social with Miss Margaret M. and Lloyd Strong on Tuesday evening. They had music, played games, popped corn, and had an old-fashioned tuffy pull, getting a lot of fun out of it all.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Henry, returning from their trial tour to Knoxville, Texas, stopped with Mr. Henry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry, at Pump, for Thanksgiving, as he knew no one could prepare a festive dinner like mother's and no one could serve that delicious turkey like father, Mrs. S. S. Arnold of Charleston, W. Va., was also with her parents for the joyful occasion.

TWENTYSIX

Born, Dec. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Marion Perry, a boy.

Several persons from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Ed Hays at Licking River on Thursday.

Mrs. Ansel Rowland and children spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Gammel, of Henrytown.

J. H. Hasty was the guest of his brother, Marion Hasty, at Elder, one day last week.

People in this section are busy gathering corn and stripping tobacco.

Success to the Courier and its many readers.

POLLY

WHITE OAK BRANCH

It has been some time since we have put our small note in the school page, but anyway we are still climbing the ladder over here. We are having good attendance, considering the weather.

Our helping teacher, Jimmie Gilliam, paid us a visit last week and gave us some good suggestive advice which we find to be quite interesting to follow.

Speaking of attendance records, we think we have a record breaker here. Bernice Bradley has gone thru twelve schools without missing a day. It makes little difference what kind of weather we have, you can always depend on her being one at school. Of course, she is not in a class by herself, we have others coming close in second place.